

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 2014-0051**

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT A
FEDERAL GRANT FOR THE LOS ANGELES REGIONAL BOARD TO ASSIST THE
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY'S SUPERFUND
PROGRAM IN THE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY

WHEREAS:

1. The San Fernando Valley Basin is an important source of drinking water for the Los Angeles metropolitan area, the cities of Glendale, Burbank, and San Fernando, La Canada - Flintridge, and the unincorporated area of La Crescenta.
2. A portion of the San Fernando Valley groundwater basin is polluted with volatile organic compounds and hexavalent chromium at concentrations exceeding State and federal drinking water standards.
3. The San Fernando Valley groundwater basin was placed on the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (U.S.EPA's) National Priorities List in 1986.
4. The Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Water Board) has been working with U.S. EPA to investigate sources of groundwater pollution in the San Fernando Valley for more than two decades in an attempt to identify potential responsible parties.
5. On September 19, 2011, The State Water Resources Control Board adopted [Resolution 2011-0039](#) and authorized the Executive Director or designee to accept approximately \$600,000 in federal grant funds from U.S. EPA to continue assisting U.S. EPA's Superfund program in contaminant source identification and other activities in the San Fernando Valley by the Los Angeles Water Board.
6. U.S. EPA intends to provide a grant for the two-year period (January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2016) in the amount of \$600,000 to fund Los Angeles Water Board staff to continue source identification activities and other Superfund program activities in the San Fernando Valley.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Board authorizes the Executive Director or designee to accept approximately \$600,000 in federal grant funds from U.S. EPA for the two-year period (January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2016) to continue assisting U.S. EPA's Superfund program in contaminant source identification and other activities in the San Fernando Valley by the Los Angeles Water Board.

CERTIFICATION

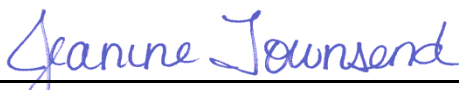
The undersigned Clerk to the Board does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on September 23, 2014.

AYE: Chair Felicia Marcus
Vice Chair Frances Spivy-Weber
Board Member Tam M. Doduc
Board Member Steven Moore
Board Member Dorene D'Adamo

NAY: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None



Jeanine Townsend
Clerk to the Board